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DISPLAY DEVICE )  
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RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Election/Restriction Requirement mailed February 1, 2001, applicants elect Species (A). As the examiner indicated, claims 154-155, 157-158, 160-161, 163 and 167-168 are included in Species (A). Claims 150, 152 and 153 are also elected, because they are generic. Furthermore, claims 151 and 164-166 are elected because they are believed to be included in Species (A).

Accordingly, claims 150-155, 157-158, 160-161 and 163-168 are elected,  
without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

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